YAVAPAI COUNTY- ZILLOW VALUE COMPARE PROJECT



versus



2016 Tax Year
Single Family Mass Appraisal Showdown

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The sole purpose of this presentation is to foster the sharing of ideas and discussion related to the topic of Zillow's effect on the assessment profession.

SFR, guess the Current Zillow Value?

Colonial 2 Story, 55,000 sq feet 1792 Year Built, 16 Beds, 35 Baths, 18 Acres

\$??????



Feedback and Prize!



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Current Market Value \$

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Name:
Willing to share ideas or experiences ab
Email
On a scale of 1 thru 10, do you think Zillo

Zillow's growing influence will have a	impact on my jurisdictions business as usual.
Any comments?	



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Thank you for attending!!!

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Zillow Informal User Poll – Show of Hands

 On a scale of 1 – 10, from a mass appraisal perspective, how accurate do you think the Zestimates are?

Why did we undertake the study?

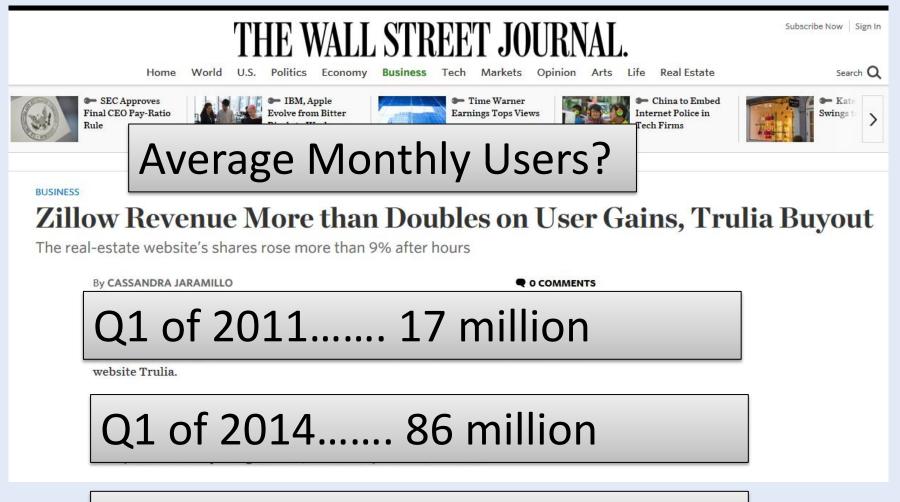


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"The Zestimate is automatically computed three times per week based on millions of public and user submitted data points"

Zillow – Industry Disrupter?



400 percent growth in 3 years

Zillow – Industry Disrupter?



Zillow Group (Z) is positioning itself to take the lead in bringing the entire home-buying process online.



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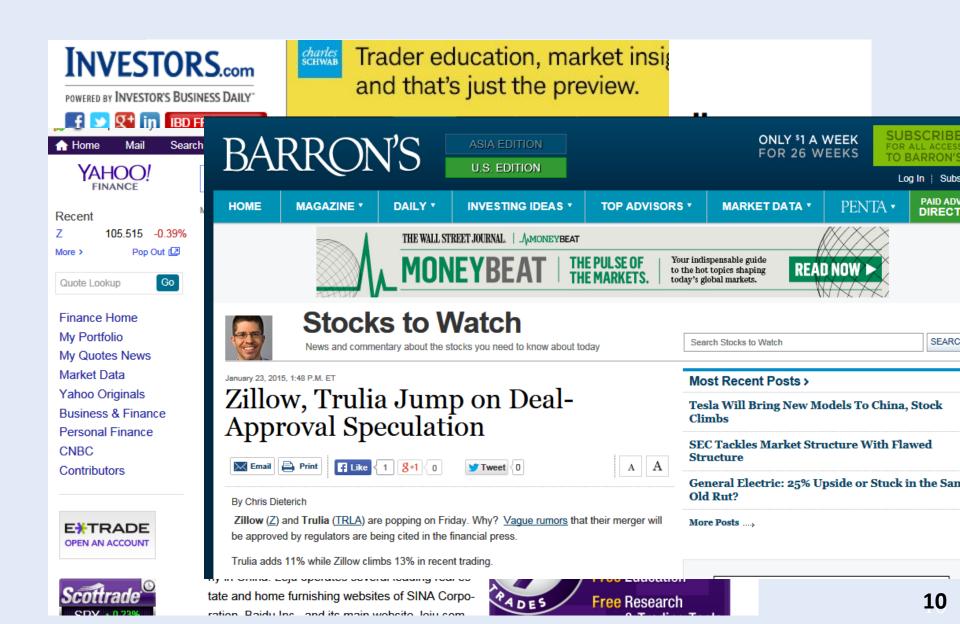


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Tesla, Zillow, Priceline And 5 Other Buys From T. Rowe Price Global Technology Manager Josh Spencer

SPENCER: Zillow's a perfect example. Some of these vertically-focused Internet companies, Zillow, LinkedIn, Netflix. I personally think Zillow will do to real estate classified and real advertising exactly what LinkedIn did to help wanted. I think within five to ten years, Zillow will be synonymous with a real estate search. This company that's doing about \$500 or \$600 million in revenue today could be doing \$400 or \$500 billion in revenue ten years from now, very high margin, subscription-based recurring because they're getting paid by agents.

Zillow's News Presence



Zillow's Growing Influence

Starting to see Assessment jurisdictions linking to Zillow



Zillow's Growing Influence

 When you were looking for a home to buy, did you: DISC VER Yes No Collect ideas using social media? (e.g., Pinterest) 25% 75% Explore a neighborhood using online maps or map apps? (e.g., Google Maps) 72% 28% Get opinions about homes from friends or family on social media? (e.g., c. Facebook) 29% 71% Look at listings on real estate websites or apps? (e.g., Zillow, Trulia, Realtor.com) 83% 17% Research a neighborhood using local websites? (e.g., local chamber of commerce, local government websites) 55% 45%

 http://investorrelations.discoverfinancial.com/phoenix.zhtml?c=204177&p= RssLanding&cat=news&id=1990390

Zillow Basics on Estimations

http://www.zillow.com/academy/RecordedWebinars.htm





Arizona Counties – Zillow Claims

http://www.zillow.com/zestimate/#acc

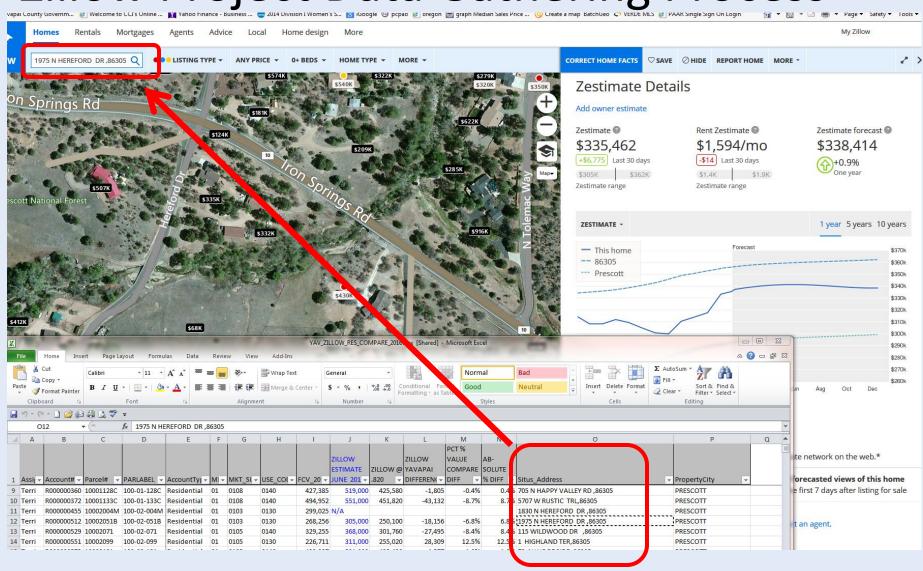
as of June 2015

			Homes	Within 5% of	Within 10% of	Within 20% of	
Arizona	Zestimate	Homes on	with	Sale	Sale	Sale	Median
County	Accuracy	Zillow	Zestimates	Price	Price	Price	Error
Apache	2	7,966	6,281	15.4%	25.6%	38.5%	30.8%
Cochise	2	50,089	46,506	28.3%	48.3%	73.0%	10.3%
Coconino	2	65,263	41,693	29.5%	57.2%	79.4%	8.6%
Gila	2	27,895	24,871	25.8%	47.3%	67.2%	11.2%
Graham	3	10,458	9,481	32.3%	56.5%	67.7%	8.3%
Greenlee	1	2,471	2,120			-	
La Paz	2	10,818	7,977	15.3%	30.5%	52.5%	18.3%
Maricopa	4	1,405,006	1,326,698	42.4%	68.3%	88.8%	6.2%
Mohave	2	133,783	107,562	32.6%	56.0%	79.0%	8.7%
Navajo	2	53,080	37,462	29.2%	54.5%	74.7%	9.0%
Pima	4	374,311	334,143	41.8%	67.4%	87.3%	6.3%
Pinal	4	174,350	145,680	42.3%	67.0%	87.3%	6.3%
Santa Cruz	2	27,159	13,969	26.6%	41.8%	67.1%	12.9%
Yavapai	4	131,417	99,291	38.8%	65.6%	84.4%	6.5%
Yuma	3	66,987	59,149	34.3%	57.8%	77.8%	8.1%
All Arizona	4	2,541,053	2,262,883	41.0%	66.5%	87.0%	6.5%

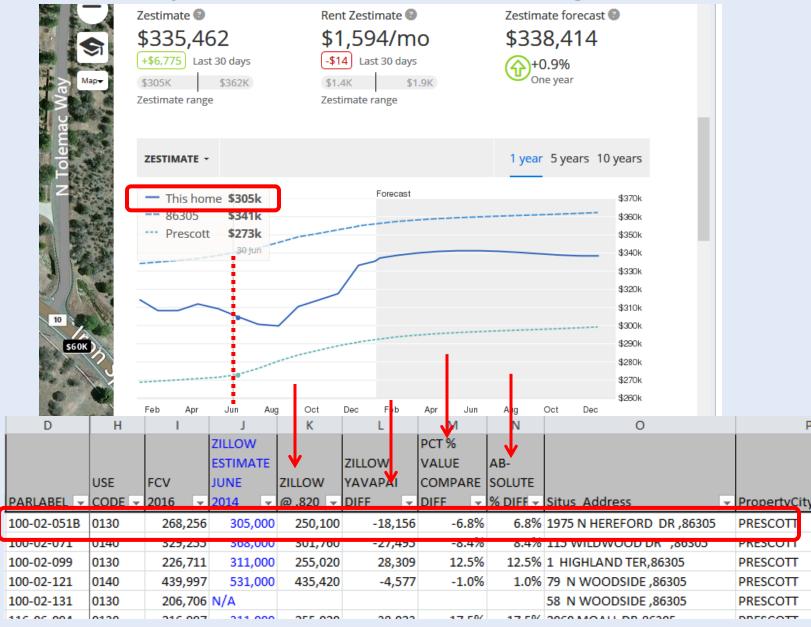
Zillow Project Data Gathering Process

USE TYPE	Parcels	Percent Of Pcls	Yavapai SFR Random Sample	Zillow Returned Estimates	Percent of RES SFR Pcls	
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AG	3,831	2.4				
СОММ	4,999	3.2				
EXEMPT	3,355	2.1				
RES CONDO	4,057	2.6				
RES MH	20,852	13.2				
RES OTHER	2,409	1.5				
RES SFR	67,097	42.5	1,933	1,763	2.62%	
VACANT	51,342	32.5				
Total	157,942	100.0				

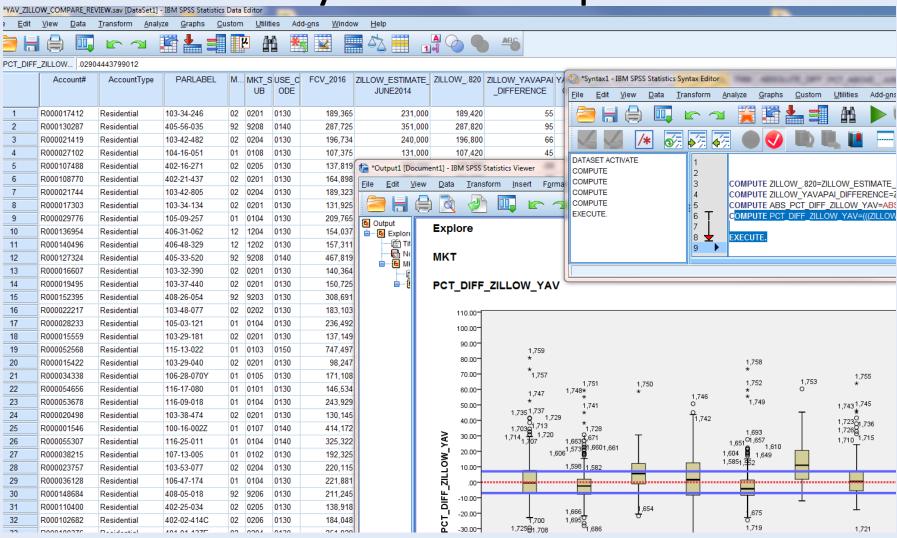
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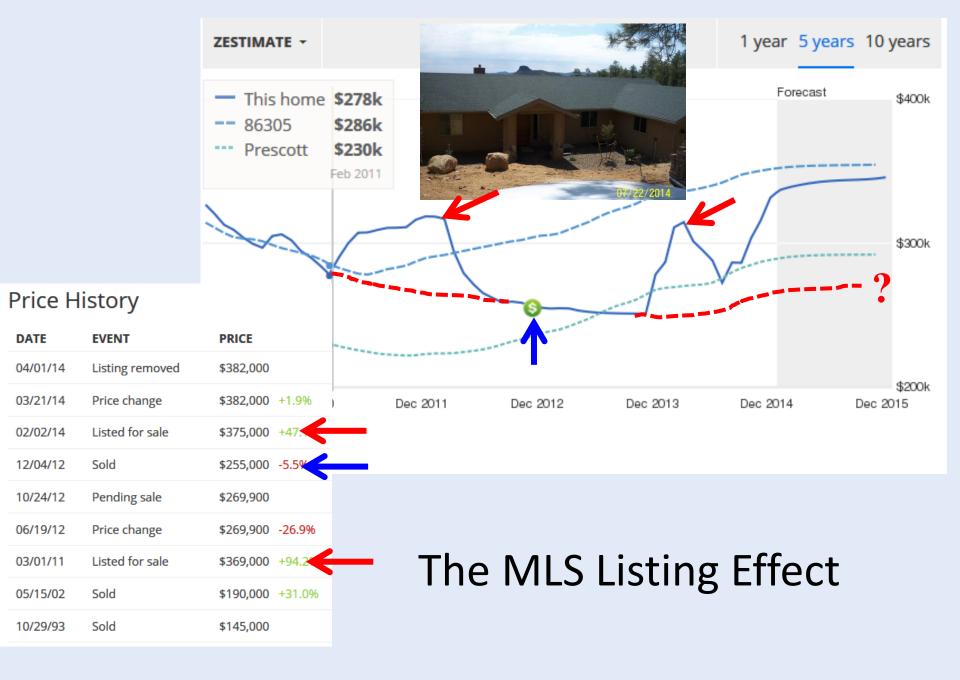


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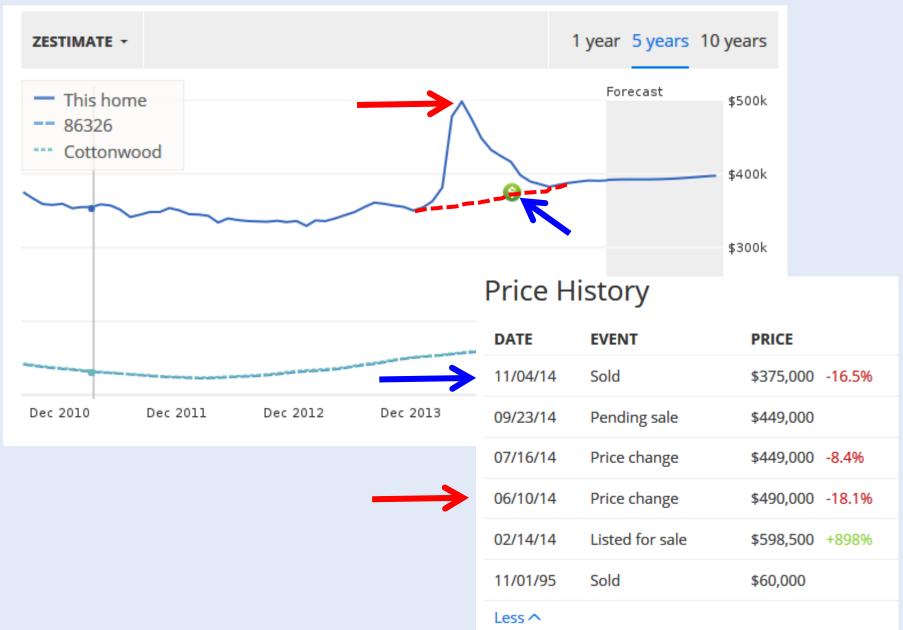


Data Analysis and Output in SPSS





Another Example of MLS Listing Effect



The Sales Price Effect



"training" the model

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Now the results

YAVAPAI Residential Sale Ratio Study 2014

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	Includes A	II TAFS -TY					
			Market	Market			
	County	Туре	Area	Name	Sales	MEDIAN	COD
	13	RES	1	Prescott	1,655	0.820	0.120
	13	RES	2	Prescott Valley	1,339	0.820	0.086
	13	RES	4	Chino Valley	300	0.820	0.118
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3							

Source: Arizona Department of Revenue, Equalization and Compliance Dept.

YAVAPAI Residential 2014

Year Over Year – Value Change Report

TY2016 Year Over Year Value Change Report Summary - Yavapai County from 1/9/2015 File Extracts											
			Total								
Market		CY-FY %	MRecord	VSale	Non Sale	% Parcel	Sale %	Non Sale %			
Area	Market Name	Match	Count	Count	Count	Sold	Change	Change	% Change		
Residential											
1	Prescott	96.9%	20,494	1,955	18,539	9.54%	0.087	0.08	0.2%		
2	Prescott Valley	95.4%	15,789	1,786	14,003	11.31%	0.098	0.10	-0.7%		
4	Chino Valley	97.2%	3,995	333	3,662	8.34%	0.101	0.10	-0.4%		
5	Western Yavapai	99.1%	3,679	213	3,466	5.79%	0.181	0.17	0.2%		
12	Central Verde Valley	97.5%	8,901	712	8,189	8.00%	0.150	0.15	-0.3%		
17	Lower Verde Valley	98.6%	3,393	263	3,130	7.75%	0.053	0.05	0.3%		
92	Sedona VOC	95.6%	6,538	570	5,968	8.72%	0.049	0.05	-0.3%		

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Results Summary

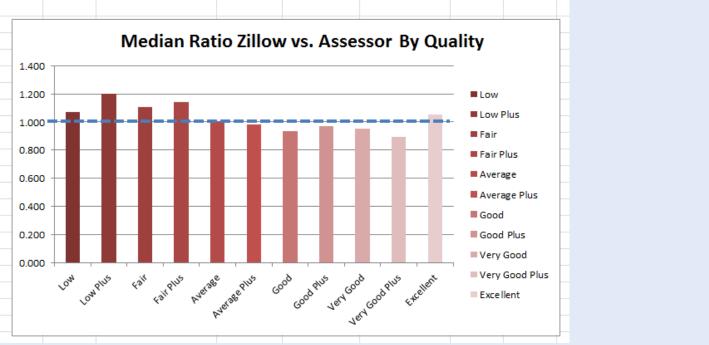
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• Zillow's Full Estimate (Zestimate) was above our 2016 NOV FCV 97.7% of the time.

Zillow vs. Yavapai By Quality

Ratio Statistics	for ZILLC	W820 / F	CV_2016		
QUALITY	Parcels	Median	COD		
Low	2	1.073	.052		
Low Plus	16	1.199	.295	$\bigcap_{\mathbf{T}}$	ervalued
Fair	5	1.106	.083	- Ov	el valueu
Fair Plus	4	1.142	.030		
Average	1,324	1.005	.089		
Average Plus	64	.984	.080		
Good	272	.935	.083		
Good Plus	19	.969	.117	LIL	damializad
Very Good	43	.951	.065		dervalued
Very Good Plus	4	.894	.060		
Excellent	9	1.055	.063		
Overall	1,762	.992	.094		



Zillow Quality Code Claim

How is construction quality determined?

Follow

The Construction Quality rating present on a listing or property page on Zillow is determined by your local county assessor. The ratings will vary depending on each county, and therefore we recommend contacting your local county assessor for more information.





Zillow Quality Codes?

June 2015

Oct 2015

CONSTRUCTION

- Construction quality:
 6.0 ②
- Roof type: Other
- Structure type: Ranch
- Unit count: 1

OTHER

Floor size: 1,671 sqft

CONSTRUCTION

- Exterior material: Stucco
- Roof type: Composition
- Structure type: Modern
- Unit count: 1



OTHER

Floor size: 2,011 sqft

Zillow Dispersion Measured Against Yavapai Assessed Values

TY2016 Pr	TY2016 Preliminary Sales Ratio Reports - Yavapai County											
Includes A	II TAFS -TY											
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Note: The dispersion of Zillow values away from Assessor values (.094) was tighter than what Assessor values were measured against actual sales

Ratio Statistics for ZILLOW .820 / FCV 2016

MKT	Count	Median	Coefficient of Dispersion
01	611	.995	.095
02	445	.976	.073
04	124	1.056	.072
05	81	1.016	.134
12	232	.958	.079
17	91	1.110	.133
92	178	1.004	.086
Overall	1,762	.992	.094

Sale Ratio Study Before June 2014

Sale Ratio	Study	A RIZ		Zillow		
<= June	2014	YAVA	PAI	ZILLO	OW.	
	SFR					
MKT	Sale	Median	COD	Median	COD	
01	45	.793	.183	.803	.112	
02	32	.833	.100	.800	.099	
04	12	.930	.209	.868	.162	
05	7	.865	.173	.811	.085	
12	14	.878	.140	.810	.079	
17	11	.867	.215	.879	.254	
92	17	.833	111	.801	112	
Overall	138	.836	.160	.815	.126	

Sale Ratio Study After June 2014

Sale F Study June 2	After	YAVA	PAI	Zillow		
74110	SFR					
MKT	Sales	Median	COD	Median	COD	
01	16	.911	.142	.828	.132	
02	16	.865	.120	.818	.188	
04	2	.850	.035	.822	.140	
12	5	.856	.147	.808	.098	
17	2	.771	.113	.805	.108	
92	3	.704	165	.731	150	
Overall	44	.857	.138	.818	.152	

Do you ever change prior Zestimates?

Yes. When major improvements to the algorithm are made, we do recompute the historical Zestimates for affected homes. Our purpose in doing so is to provide consumers with the best estimate of historical property valuations.

http://www.zillow.com/zestimate/

Statewide Random Sample

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		ZEST-						ZILLOW MEDIAN ERROR	•	
		IMATE	ZESTIM		ZILLOW		ABS	CLAIM		
		June	ATE ADJ	2016	FCV	PCT	PCT	FOR		
County	PARCEL ID	2014	@0.82	FCV	DIFF	DIFF	DIFF	COUNTY	ADDRESS	CITY
Apache	106-63-029	132,000	108,240	81,413	26,827	-24.89	24.8%	36.3%	22 COUNTRY ROAD 3167,	VERNON
Cochise	105-92-135	163,000	133,660	138,535	-4,875	3.69	3.6%	7.3%	805 SUFFOLK RD, 85635	SIERRA VISTA
Coconino	105-06-066	286,000	234,520	227,545	6,975	-3.09	3.0%	7.4%	3993 S NICHOLAS ST, 860	FLAGSTAFF
Gila	304-53-026	233,000	191,060	184,699	6,361	-3.39	3.3%	8.7%	304 N MOGOLLON TRL, 85	PAYSON
Graham	101-19-024	116,000	95,120	89,228	5,892	-6.29	6.2%	8.3%	1318 S 8TH AVE, 85546	SAFFORD
Greenlee	500-09-040B	91,000	74,620	34,349	40,271	-54.09	54.0%	n/a	40 OSO TRL, 85534	DUNCAN
La Paz	311-29-017	135,000	110,700	76,296	34,404	-31.19	31.1%	17.6%	1421 S NAVAJO AVE, 8534	PARKER
Maricopa	149-35-082	156,000	127,920	120,600	7,320	-5.79	5.7%	7.4%	3132 W SURREY AVE, 850	PHOENIX
Mohave	311-15-001A	109,000	89,380	89,415	-35	0.09	6 0.0%	7.2%	2242 CLUB AVE, 86401	KINGMAN
Navajo	309-48-121C	95,000	77,900	62,516	15,384	-19.79	19.7%	10.2%	557 S 7TH AVE, 85901	SHOW LOW
Pima	140-13-161	110,000	90,200	104,183	-13,983	15.59	15.5%	6.1%	2149 E JASMINE DR, 8570	TUCSON
Pinal	505-38-358	160,000	131,200	136,761	-5,561	4.29	4.2%	5.9%	339 E PASEO DE PAULA, 8	CASA GRANDE
Santa Cruz	101-34-102B	62,000	50,840	51,519	-679	1.39	1.3%	9.5%	607 N SONOITA AVE, 856	NOGALES
Yavapai	103-32-041	169,000	138,580	137,943	637	-0.59	0.5%	6.6%	5010 N PINTO DR, 86314	PRESCOTT VALLEY
Yuma	664-01-035	67,000	54,940	60,011	-5,071	9.29	9.2%	7.5%	900 S PAGEAT AVE, 85364	YUMA
					AVG	-7.69	12.2%	10.4%		
					MEDIAN	-3.09	5.7 %	7.5%		
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Note: 1 SFR Property randomly selected from each county in Arizona



Results Question

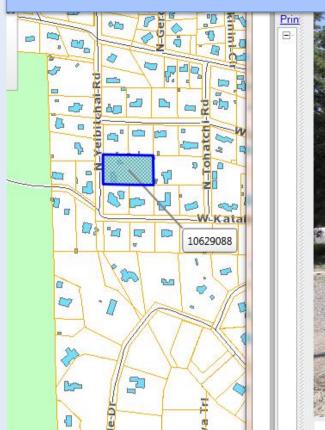


We believe that a great amount of weight in their predictive models is based on a jurisdictions assessed values.

They utilize our "boots on the ground" and rely on a lot of our hard work.

Zillow Misses - Undervalued

Yavapai \$200,400 Zillow 118,900 -41%





Ranch 1 Story, Average Quality 1978 Year Built 1,554 sq feet 506 sq feet attached garage

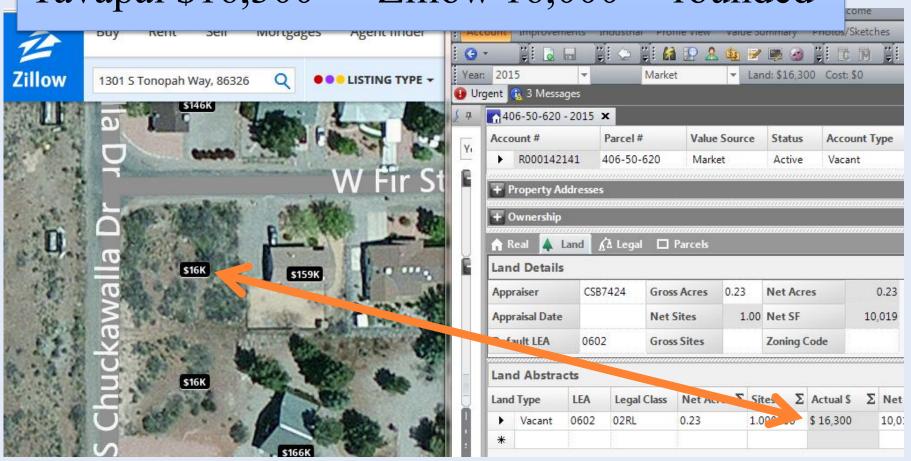
Lot Size 1.62 Acres

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Other Issues – Land Estimates

Yavapai \$16,300 Zillow 16,000 rounded

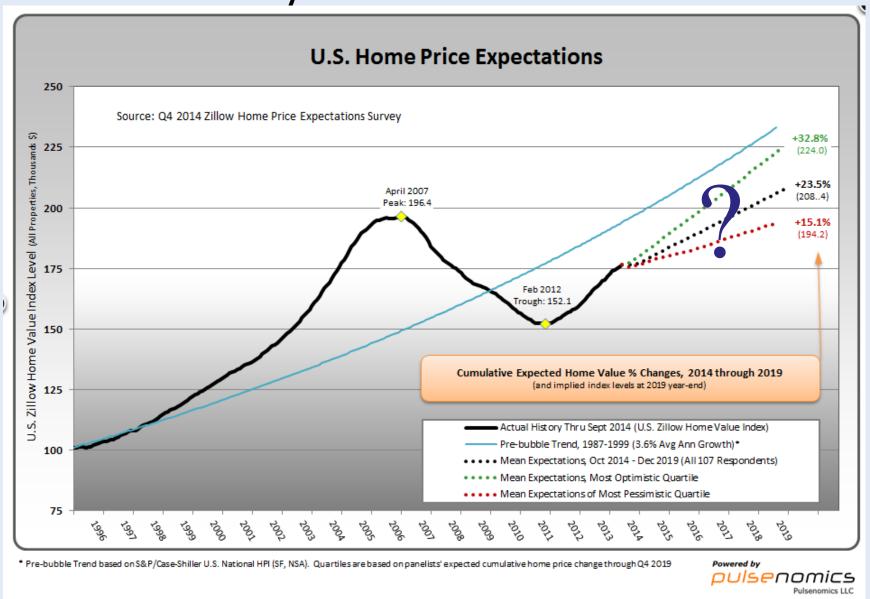


Zillow Now Attempts to Forecast

https://pulsenomics.com/Home-Price-



Zillow's Crystal Ball to the Future?



Yavapai vs. Zillow Forecast

ZII OW HOME PRICE EXPECTATIONS SURVEY RESULTS: Fourth Quarter 2014

										Estimated Home Price Performance (Dec/Dec)					
<u>Title</u>	<u>Affiliation</u>								Response Date	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
									Mean	A 79%	2 7/1%	2 19%	2 22%	2 10%	2 17%
Fourth Quarter 2014 Survey Summary:									Median	5.00%	4.00%	3.25%	3.10%	3.00%	3.00%
									High	8.00%	7.20%	9.00%	7.40%	8.10%	8.70%
				Yavapai					Low	1.00%	-5.30%	-4.70%	-2.00%	-3.00%	-5.00%
			YAVAPAI		Linear				Standard De /	1.18%	1.54%	1.78%	1.31%	1.45%	1.43%

129,900 1999 3.565 6.0% 120.956 2000 3.464 139,900 7.7% 125.311 2001 3.936 145,000 3.6% 129.822 4,507 159,033 9.7% 134,495 2002 2003 5,105 173,500 9.1% 139,337 15.3% 144,353 2004 6.637 200,000 260,502 30.3% 149,550 2005 6,908 7.8% 154,934 2006 4,987 280,900 2007 3,630 280,000 -0.3% 160,512 -16.1% 166,290 235,000 2008 2,660 -17.9% 172,276 3,027 193,000 2009 171,000 -11.4% 178,47 2010 3,326 2011 -6.4% 184,90 3,482 160,000 12.5% 191,56 2012 3,340 180,000 3,135 215,000 19.4% 198,45 2013 6.4% 205,60 2014 2.289 228,712 213,00 2015 4.009 220,67 3.25% 2016 198,529 2017 228.61 204.684 3.10% 2018 3.00% 236.84 210,824

Median

2.443

2.630

2.904

3.395

YEAR Sale Cnt Sale Price Previous 3.6%

105,000

111,750

116,000

122,500

Over

Trend at

105,000

245,37

6.4% 108,780

3.8% 112,696 5.6% 116,753 ZILLOW

SALE

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1996

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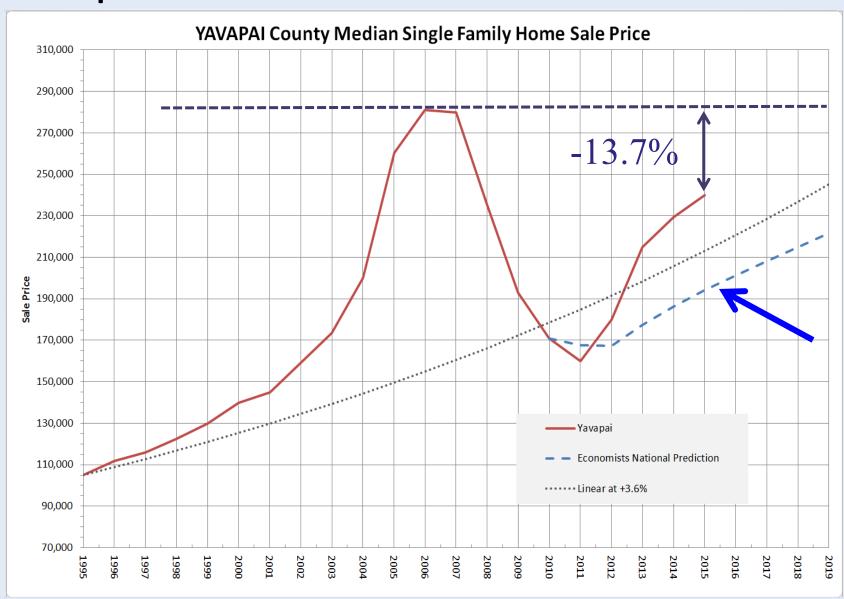
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Home Price Expectations Survey™

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Yavapai Actual vs. Zillow Forecast



Public Service News Release

Press Release

Assessor Pearsall Tests Zillow Home Price Estimates

Yavapai County, August 5 2015 – Yavapai County Assessor Pam Pearsall has kept an eye on the growing popularity of real estate website Zillow.com in recent years. Having recently acquired Trulia.com it is hard to deny the impact Zillow will have on the national real estate market in coming years.



Zillow's business model is to be a "real estate portal" whereby it seeks to attract would be home buyers and sellers to its website. Part of what it does is to predict "Zestimates", which are estimations of a home's current market value. "Zillow has even begun trying to forecast the future trend of a home's value", Pearsall said.

Because of the growing trend of owners referring to Zillow estimates of their property, Assessor Pearsall asked her staff to do a study of a random sampling of homes in Yavapai County which Zillow had predicted values on. The goal of this study was to gain a

level of understanding as to the accuracy of their estimates as they compare to her own mass appraisal process and values. Much of the property data Zillow uses for their predictions comes from County Assessor records.

In a recent survey conducted by Discover Home Loans of 1,003 homebuyers about how technology influenced their experience, 83% reported using listing sites like Zillow and Trulia to browse home listings. Zillow recently claimed to have hosted 73 million unique viewers of their website in December alone. With this big of an impact it seems likely that some local Yavapai County home buyers and sellers will be using Zillow in their own research.

County Assessors find it challenging to estimate property values on an annual basis for taxation purposes. Zillow on the other hand, attempts to predict a home's value on a weekly basis throughout the year by using what they call proprietary algorithms, statistical processes and geo coordinate data. The accuracy of these predictions has many skeptics questioning the accuracy and details of their data. The proponents, and Zillow itself, argue that their predictions are only meant to give a range of value to help a buyer or seller make

Beware of Misinformation

FINANCIAL SAMURAI Slicing Through Money's Mysteries

LOWER YOUR PROPERTY TAX WITH ONLINE DATA

"The great thing about Zillow is that their data is **wrong all**the time!Rest assured the property assessor's
office uses Zillow's erroneous data to charge you higher
taxes as well. I spoke to a number of people in the property
assessor's office over the years and they have ALL admitted
their main strategy is to automatically tack on an annual
increase based on an index and hope homeowner's don't
have the time or willpower to contest the property tax bill."

http://www.financialsamurai.com/exploitonline-data-to-lower-your-property-taxes

Conclusions of Study for Yavapai

We have concluded that it will be hard to ignore Zillow's growing influence in the real estate market in the future



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One Final Question



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Will Zillow's growing influence in the national real estate marketplace hinder or help Assessors? Any discussion?

House Soon To Be On The Market?



1600 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC 20006

16 beds · 35 baths · 55,000 sqft Edit

Thank you for the opportunity to share



Pamela J. Pearsall
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Who is the prize winner?

Zillow - \$390,122,001

Roundtable discussion?